Application No.: 10/646267 Docket No.: CCI-007USDV

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A method of inhibiting the activity of a G1 cdk, comprising contacting said cdk with a substance which is selected from the group consisting of: a peptide fragment of 40 amino acids or less of p21, a derivative thereof, the peptide fragment or derivative thereof coupled to a non-peptidyl coupling partner and the peptide fragment or derivative thereof coupled to a non-p21 peptide sequence,
 - (i) a peptide fragment of 40 amino acids or less of p21;
 - (ii) a derivative of the peptide fragment of (i);
 - (iii) the peptide fragment of (i) coupled to a non-peptidyl coupling partner;
 - (iv) the derivative of (ii) coupled to a non-peptidyl coupling partner;
 - (v) the peptide fragment of (i) coupled to a non-p21 peptide sequence; and
 - (vi) the derivative of (ii) coupled to a non-p21 peptide sequence;

wherein the peptide fragment of (i) or the derivative of (ii) comprises comprising the motif:

KxxRRyFzP

wherein

- (a) x comprises any amino acid;
- (b) y and z comprise hydrophobic amino acids;
- (c) K is present, deleted or replaced by another amino acid; and
- (d) P is present, deleted or replaced by another amino acid.
- 2. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein at least one of y or z comprises an amino acid selected from the group consisting of alanine, valine, leucine, isoleucine, proline, phenylalanine, tryptophan and methionine.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein said substance consists of the peptide fragment of 40 amino acids or less of p21 or an active portion or derivative thereof.

Application No.: 10/646267 Docket No.: CCI-007USDV

4. (**Previously Presented**) The method according to claim 1, wherein said peptide fragment consists of residues 16-35 of the p21^{WAF1} amino acid sequence or an active portion or derivative thereof.

- 5. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 3 or 4, wherein said active portion or derivative has at least 80% identity over at least 5 amino acids of p21.
- 6. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 1 wherein said substance is the peptide fragment or derivative thereof coupled to a non-p21 peptide sequence.
- 7. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 6, wherein the non-p21 peptide sequence has the sequence RQIKIWFQNRRMKWKK.
- 8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein the peptide fragment binds to a G1 cyclin or a G1 cdk.

9-10. (Cancelled)

- 11. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein the cdk activity comprises Rb phosphorylation.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein cell cycle arrest is induced.
- 13. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 1, wherein said substance is the peptide fragment or derivative thereof coupled to a non-peptidyl coupling partner.